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ESAF receives Seal of Transparency



Microfinance Institutions Network (MFIN) has awarded ESAF microfinance an official seal of transparency in recognition to the Organization's commitment to transparent pricing for the year 2013.

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ESAF to implement MGPSY scheme



ESAF was one among the Organizations selected by the Overseas Indian Affairs Ministry for implementing MGPSY scheme in five GCC Countries.

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ESAF participates in Expert Panel Meeting



Sandhya Suresh with the Expert Panel members

Sandhya Suresh, Sr. Manager, R & D, ESAF Microfinance, represented the Organization in the Expert Panel Discussion held at Paris from October 7-9, 2013.

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ESAF observes International Day of the Girl Child

ESAF observed international day of the girl child on Oct 12, 2013. The theme of the day was "Innovating for girls' education".

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ESAF participates in Partnerships Against Poverty Summit



K. Paul Thomas and Mereena Paul with Prof. Muhammad Yunus

K. Paul Thomas, Managing Director and Mereena Paul, Chief HR, ESAF Microfinance participated in the Microcredit Summit 2013, held at Philippine International Convention Centre Manila from October 9-11, 2013.

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ESAF participates in Overseas Employers Conference at Dubai



Roy K. Alex with Vayalar Ravi during the conference

ESAF participated in the second Employers Conference organized by Indian Overseas Affairs Ministry at Dubai International Financial Centre on October 27 & 28, 2013.

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ESAF Livable Cities organize network meeting

A meeting of ESAF Livable Cities Network was organized at YMCA Hall, Thrissur on October 18, 2013. Discussions were centered on the problems faced by pedestrians and the ill state of parks in Thrissur. Jacob Samuel, Head-Livable Cities program presided over the function.

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ESAF participates in Kerala Finance Conclave 2013



K. Paul Thomas delivering his message

ESAF Microfinance participated in the Kerala Finance Conclave 2013 organized by Confederation of Indian Industry (CII), at Hotel Taj Gateway, Kochi on October 23, 2013.

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ESAF participates in national seminar - 'The Contours of Indian Banking'



K. Paul Thomas speaking at the seminar

ESAF participated in a national seminar titled 'The Contours of Indian Banking' organized by Kerala Agricultural University, Vellanikkara, Thrissur on Oct 23 & 24, 2013.

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ESAF participates in national seminar - 'Financial Literacy towards Financial Inclusion'

ESAF participated in a national seminar titled 'Financial Literacy towards Financial Inclusion' organized by Sri Vyasa NSS College, Wadakkanchery, Thrissur.

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Fact File

As on 31st October 2013

Group Lending

Districts	33
Branches	152
Active Borrowers	4,54,534
Gross portfolio Rs	4,359.40
Managed portfolio Rs	744.78
Own portfolio Rs	3,614.62

ESAF observes International Walk to School Day

Under the leadership of ESAF Livable Cities Team, ESAF observed International Walk to School Day by organizing a walk to school programme at Bethlehem High School, Thrissur, on October 09, 2013. Najeeb, ASI, Mannuthy, flagged off the rally started from Ollukkara, Thrissur.

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